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# IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA UPPER MISSOURI DIVISION GALLATIN RIVER BASIN (41H) PRELIMINARY DECREE

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CLAIMANTS: Peter Zeliff; Terry M. Fluke Revocable Family
Trust

CASE 41H-06003-A-2022 41H 25622-00 41H 25623-00 41H 25624-00 41H 25625-00 41H 30155788

# CORRECTED ORDER AMENDING AND ADOPTING MASTER'S REPORT

Pursuant to Montana Code Annotated, § 85-2-233(5), the above entitled case was assigned to Water Master Julia Nordlund. The Water Master filed a report containing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law with the Clerk of Court. Copies of the report were served upon the parties on January 13, 2023. Claimant Peter Zeliff filed an Objection to the Master's Report on January 27, 2023. The Order Amending and Adopting Master's Report dated February 7, 2023, made the requested corrections. On February 8, 2023, Peter Zeliff filed an additional Objection to the OAA.

The Objection pointed out a typographical error on the abstract of claim 41H 30155788. The priority date should be corrected from June 1, 1982 to June 1, **1882.** 

The Court has reviewed the Water Master's Findings and Conclusions. Pursuant to Rule 53(e), Montana Rules of Civil Procedure, the Court **ADOPTS** the January 13, 2023 Master's Report with the corrections in the February 7, 2023 Order Amending and Adopting, and

ORDERS that **Post Decree Abstract of Water Right Claim 41H 30155788** be served with this Order to confirm that the recommendations set forth in the Master's Report, as amended by this Order, have been adopted.

ELECTRONICALLY SIGNED AND DATED BELOW.

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#### POST DECREE

## ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

### **GALLATIN RIVER**

### **BASIN 41H**

Water Right Number: 41H 30155788 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: PETER ZELIFF

4655 E SAILE DR BATAVIA, NY 14020

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1882

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION

**Irrigation Type:** FLOOD

Flow Rate: 56.10 GPM

Volume: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT

TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 42.00

Source Name: WEST GALLATIN RIVER
Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

IDGovt LotQtr SecSecTwpRgeCounty1SENWNW223S4EGALLATIN

**Period of Diversion:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: NOBLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

IDAcresGovt LotQtr SecSecTwpRgeCounty142.00S2SW153S4EGALLATIN

**Total:** 42.00

## Remarks:

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 41H 25625-00.